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PENNSYLVANIA FARM SHOW WEEK

HARRISBURG, JANUARY 11-15

The QUAKER Seed exhibit will be seen by many thousands of farmers. This, in turn, will help you increase your sales of QUAKER Brand Seeds. We hope you will find it convenient to visit us—Booths 582-583, Section E.

QUAKER BRAND ALFALFA AND CLOVERS

PACKED IN ATTRACTIVE ONE BUSHEL BAGS—NO EXTRA COST!

“The Finest of the Crop”

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INOCULATION



KINDLY ORDER BY GROUP

Size Cans	Cans Per Carton	Dealer Price Per Can
GROUP A For Alfalfa, Sweet Clover,		
1 bu.....	12.....	.35
GROUP B For Red Clover, Alsike, Crimson, White, Ladino		
1 bu.....	12.....	.35
GROUP AB Combination culture for Clover-Alfalfa Mixture.		
1 bu.....	12.....	.35
2 bu.....	12.....	.64
GROUP C For Vetches, Canada Peas, Garden Peas.		
100 lbs.....	12.....	.32
GROUP E For Cowpeas, Lima Beans.		
2 bu.....	12.....	.26
GROUP S For Soy Beans.		
2 bu.....	12.....	.26
5 bu.....	12.....	.40
25 bu.....	6.....	1.73
FOR BIRDSFOOT TREFOIL		
4 lb.....		.10
1/2 bu.....		.26
GARDEN SIZE..... 1.20 per doz.		

PEST CONTROLS

MOUSE SEED—KILLS MICE

No Bait—No Traps—No Muss. Per Doz.
In One Dozen Lots.....\$2.00
Every display carton of one dozen contains 14 packages which retail at 25 cents each.

CROW-FEZ



	Net Per Doz.
QUART..... (Sufficient for 4 bu.)	9.00
PINT..... (Sufficient for 2 bu.)	5.40
1/2 PINT..... (Sufficient for 1 bu.)	3.60

Cases contain 1 doz. Cans.

Special Lawn Grass Price List



REG. U. S. PAT. OFF.

Forty-five years' experience stands in back of this famous brand of Lawn Grass Seed. Many thousands of home owners have found it ideal for this section of the country and the dealer will find it advantageous to display the OLD ENGLISH Lawn Package during the sowing season, Spring and Fall.

Our special Lawn Grass wholesale price list describes our various mixtures in greater detail than is possible here. If you do not already receive it we shall gladly place your name on our mailing list.

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DISINFECTANTS



	Units Per Case	Dealer Price Per Case	Retail Price Per Unit
CERESAN, New Improved For Oats, Peas, Barley, Flax, Sorghums, Wheat, Rye and Millet.			
1 lb. can.....	12	10.50	1.30
4 lb. can.....	6	20.00	4.35
100 lb. drum.....	1	69.60	85.00
CERESAN M For all grains.			
14 oz. can.....	12	\$10.10	\$1.25
3 lb. can.....	6	16.20	3.55
40 lb. drum.....	1	29.40	35.85
100 lb. drum.....	1	69.60	85.00
ARASAN For Corn, Sorghums and Vegetables.			
8 oz. can.....	24	15.50	1.00
2 lb. can.....	12	26.50	3.20
4 lb. can.....	6	25.00	6.00
25 lb. drum.....	1	24.00	30.00
SEMESAN BEL For Irish and Sweet Seed Potatoes.			
2 oz. package.....	144	38.85	.50
1 lb. can.....	12	19.40	2.30
4 lb. can.....	6	35.25	7.50
40 lb. drum.....	1	58.40	70.35
SEMESAN For Vegetable and Flower Seeds.			
2 oz. can.....	36	13.40	.60
4 oz. can.....	36	22.30	1.00
12 oz. can.....	12	24.80	2.85
25 lb. pail.....	1	60.95	72.65
100 lb. drum.....	1	238.00	276.20
SPECIAL SEMESAN For Lawns and fine Turf.			
1 1/2 lb. can.....	12	32.85	3.75
25 lb. pail.....	1	44.00	52.05
100 lb. drum.....	1	171.50	197.60
TERSAN New 75% Thiuram			
3 lb. bags.....	12	50.00	6.75
F-531 An Effective Dollar Spot Control.			
25 lb. drum.....	1	30.00	37.50
100 lb. drum.....	1	112.00	140.00

SUPPLIES

BINDER TWINE

PER BALE (5 lb. and 8 lb. Balls)..... Write

BIRD SEEDS

We issue on the first of every month wholesale quotations on:

CANARY SEED BIRD RAPE
SUNFLOWER MILLETS

and other Bird Seeds.

Kindly ask to be put on our mailing list.

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LAWN FERTILIZERS ETC.

ARMOUR VERTAGREEN PLANT FOOD (5-10-5)



For lawns, perennials, trees and shrubs.

	Wholesale	Retail
100 lb. bag.....	\$3.35	\$4.85
50 lb. bag.....	1.75	2.55
25 lb. bag.....	1.12	1.70
10 lb. bag (6 per case).....	.63	.95
5 lb. bag (12 per case).....	.34	.53

F.o.b. Philadelphia



P C CRAB GRASS KILLER

	Dealer Price Per Case	Retail Price Per Bottle
Case 24—7 1/2 oz. bottles ...	\$15.00	\$1.00 bottle
Case 12—30 oz. bottles ...	22.15	2.95 bottle

SOIL CONDITIONER W

For Better Plant Growth

Size	Units Per Case	Dealer Price Per Case	Retail Price Per Unit
4-oz. can....	12	\$10.00	\$1.25
8-oz. can....	6	7.80	1.95
2-lb. can....	4	18.00	6.75

AMMATE WEED KILLER

Kills perennial weeds, particularly recommended for killing poison ivy.

	Dealer Price Per Case	Retail Price
Case 12—2 lb. bottles ...	9.20	1.15 bottle
Case 4—6 lb. bottles	7.85	2.95 bottle
Drum 50 lbs.	9.63	13.75 drum

WILD BIRD FOOD



LYRIC WILD BIRD FOOD

In bulk, 100 lb.....\$ 8.25
*In bulk, 100 lb..... 8.75
*Including 20 empty 5-lb. wax-lined bags. See illustration.

PURGRAIN PIGEON FEED FOR 45 YEARS THE FAVORITE OF PIGEON FANCIERS

We issue monthly a Wholesale price list devoted to Pigeon Feeds. We shall be glad to send it to you regularly, upon request.

THE PHILADELPHIA SEED CO.

TELEPHONE
MARKET 7-2822
(six trunk lines)

INCORPORATED

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PHILADELPHIA 5

DECEMBER 23, 1953

BRANCH WAREHOUSES LOCATED AT LANCASTER, HARRISBURG, FORKS, BELLEFONTE, MUNCY, GERMANSVILLE AND BROOKVILLE

Prices quoted below are today's values f. o. b. Philadelphia. Except where definitely described as certified, all varieties and strains are understood to be type. Bags included. Quotations are basis full bag lots: when broken lots are ordered we are obliged to charge a higher price to cover cost of breaking packages. The Philadelphia Seed Co., Inc., warrants to the extent of the purchase price that seeds sold are as described on the container within recognized tolerances. Seller gives no other or further warranty, express or implied.

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ALFALFA
U. S. Verified Origin.

NORTHWESTERN

Packed 1 bu. bags.	Per Bu.
COMET	\$18.00
ARROW	18.30
ATLAS	18.60
QUAKER	18.90

KANSAS

QUAKER	19.50
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GRIMM

Packed 1 bu. bags	
QUAKER UTAH.....	19.80
QUAKER NEBRASKA.....	20.40
QUAKER SO. DAKOTA.....	20.40

ATLANTIC

Packed 1 bu. bags.	
QUAKER (Certified Blue Tag).....	23.10

BUFFALO

Packed 1 bu. bags.	
QUAKER (Certified Blue Tag).....	22.20

RANGER

Packed 1 bu. bags.	
QUAKER (Certified Blue Tag).....	22.80
QUAKER.....	22.20

NARRAGANSETT

Packed 10 lb. bags.	
QUAKER (Certified Blue Tag).....	50.00

WESTERN

We do not handle common Arizona, New Mexico, Northwest Texas, California or other unadaptable strain.

QUAKER

ARGENTINE

ARGENTINE (Stained 10% Orange-Red)..... write

ALFALFA SHOULD BE INOCULATED.

SEE INOCULATION PRICES COLUMN 7.

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RED CLOVER

ALL CLOVERS SHOULD BE INOCULATED.

MID WEST

Packed 1 bu. bags.	Per Bu.
ARROW	\$21.00
ATLAS.....	21.30
QUAKER.....	21.60

PENNSYLVANIA

Packed 1 bu. bags.	
QUAKER.....	22.20

KENLAND

Packed 50 lb. bags	
QUAKER (Certified Blue Tag).....	26.40

MAMMOTH

Packed 1 bu. bags.	
QUAKER.....	21.00

MARKET CONDITIONS

Alfalfa and Clover prices have undergone a drastic reduction from the comparatively high prices of the past few years. In fact, many field seed prices are today more attractive than they have been at any time during the past 11 years.

These values will encourage increased sowing. The quality of QUAKER Brand Alfalfa and Red Clover, as a result of constantly improved methods in our cleaning plant, is the highest we have ever been able to offer.

GRASSES: Due to a near failure in the Kentucky Bluegrass crop, the price of many other grasses has been indirectly affected. Grass markets in general are quite strong.

PENNSYLVANIA FARM SHOW WEEK

We hope to see you at the Farm Show in Harrisburg, during the week of January 11-15, at which time our representatives will be glad to give you last minute information.

BOOTHS 582-583, SECTION E

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OTHER CLOVERS

ALL CLOVERS SHOULD BE INOCULATED.

ALSIKE

Packed 1 bu. bags.	Per Bu.
ATLAS.....	\$
QUAKER.....	15.60

SWEET CLOVER

Packed 1 bu. bags.	
QUAKER.....	8.65

YELLOW BLOOMING

Packed 1 bu. bags.	
QUAKER.....	8.65

LADINO CLOVER

QUAKER	Per 100 Lbs
50 lb. bags	52.00
25, 10, or 5 lb. bags	57.00

WHITE CLOVER

OLD ENGLISH	
Large bags.....	\$60.00
25 lb. bags.....	65.00
5 lb. bags.....	69.00
1 lb. canisters (12 per carton).....	72.00
½ lb. canisters (24 per carton).....	82.00
¼ lb. canisters (48 per carton).....	97.00

PERMANENT PASTURE WHITE CLOVER

For Permanent Pastures.

CERTIFIED	
Large bags	65.00
25 lb. bags.....	68.00

CRIMSON

Packed approx. 110 lbs.	
QUAKER	

LESPEDEZA

Lespedeza should not be sown in Penna. or New Jersey.

KOREAN.....

TREFOIL

BIRDSFOOT TREFOIL.....
Trefoil requires special inoculation. See col. 7.

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SEED GRAINS

OATS Packed approx. 3 bu. Per Bu.

CLINTON 11 (Certified and Treated)... \$
CLINTON 59 (Certified and Treated) ..
CLINTON (Uncertified) ..
AJAX (Certified) ..

RYE Packed approx. 2 bu. Per Bu.

BALBO ..
WINTER ..

BARLEY

MOORE (Treated) ..

HYBRID FIELD CORN

RECOMMENDED HYBRIDS

A special bulletin, describing our Hybrids, with recommendations for Pennsylvania and for New Jersey, is available for distribution to your trade. Kindly write for a supply.

Each of the hybrids quoted below has a special purpose. Every bag is state certified and sealed.

PENNA. CERTIFIED FLAT GRAIN
IMPERIAL

Packed 1 bu. sealed bags Per Bu.

U.S. 13 (115-120 days) ..

Iowa 4059 (110-115 days) ..

C12 (110-120 days) ..

Iowa 939 (110-115 days) ..

K24 (approx. 100 days) ..

M15 (90 days) ..

FIELD CORN

Packed approx. 2 bu. Per Bu.

LANCASTER SURECROP ..

BUCKWHEAT Packed approx. 2 bu.

JAPANESE TYPE .. \$1.80

SORGHUM

Packed approx. 100 lbs. Per 100 Lbs.

AMBER CANE (Sorghum) ..

ATLAS SORGO ..

VETCH & RAPE

VETCH SHOULD BE INOCULATED

VETCH

Packed approx. 100 lbs. Per 100 Lbs.

HAIRY .. \$ 17.00

SPRING .. 8.00

RAPE

Packed approx. 100 lbs. Per 100 Lbs.

DWARF ESSEX .. 12.25

BEANS & PEAS

SOY BEANS AND PEAS SHOULD BE INOCULATED

SOY BEANS

Packed approx. 2 1/2 bu. Per Bu.

BLACK WILSON .. Phone

LINCOLN TYPE ..

HAWKEYE (Certified) ..

HAWKEYE ..

CANADA FIELD PEAS ..

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GRASSES

TIMOTHY

Packed approx. 125 lbs.
Add 20c per bu. for 1 bu. packing

	Purity	Per Bu.
COMET	98.00%	\$
ARROW	99.00%	
ATLAS	99.60%	7.75
QUAKER	99.75%	7.90

TIMOTHY - ALSIKE MIXTURE

STAR (20% Alsike) .. 8.65

RED TOP

SOLID SEED Per 100 Lbs.

Packed approx. 100 lbs.

Old English .. 82.00

IMPERIAL purity 98% .. 92.00

UNHULLED

Packed approx. 80 lbs.

REX .. 45.00

BLUE GRASS

Packed approx. 100 lbs.

KENTUCKY

Old English .. 150.00

IMPERIAL purity 98% .. 170.00

MERION .. 350.00

Due to the extremely short supply of Kentucky Blue, it is recommended that Chewings Fescue be used.

BROME GRASS

Packed approx. 50 lbs.

LINCOLN STRAIN (Nebraska grown) ... 25.00

NOTE: Canadian or northern strain is not recommended for Penna. or New Jersey.

ORCHARD GRASS

Packed approx. 112 lbs.

FANCY onion free .. 26.00

MILLET

GOLDEN .. write

SUDAN GRASS

Packed approx. 100 lbs.

COMMON ..

SWEET SUDAN ..

RYE GRASS

DOMESTIC .. 14.00

PERENNIAL .. 17.00

FESCUE

CHEWINGS .. 57.00

PENN STATE CHEWINGS .. 75.00

CREEPING RED .. 53.00

ALTA .. 20.00

KENTUCKY 31 (Certified Blue Tag) ... 30.00

ILLAHEE .. 70.00

MEADOW .. 37.00

BENT GRASS

SEASIDE (Certified) .. 100.00

ASTORIA (Certified Blue Tag) .. 100.00

HIGHLAND (Certified Blue Tag) .. 90.00

HIGHLAND .. 85.00

COLONIAL .. 85.00

MISCELLANEOUS GRASSES

REED CANARY .. 39.00

POA TRIVIALIS .. 85.00

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LAWN MIXTURES

Freight paid 100 lbs. or more



In Less Than 50 lb. units add \$2.00 per 100 lbs.

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Old English

CONTAINS BENT SEED Per 100 lbs.

50 LB. BAGS .. \$

25 LB. " ..

10 LB. " ..

5 LB. CANISTERS ..

1 LB. CARTONS ..

Old English Shady Spot®

50 LB. BAGS ..

10 LB. " ..

5 LB. CANISTERS ..

1 LB. CARTONS ..

STRATFORD GREEN®

50 LB. BAGS ..

5 LB. " ..

1 LB. CARTONS ..

SPLENDORLAWN®

50 LB. BAGS ..

10 LB. " ..

5 LB. " ..

1 LB. CARTONS ..

COMET®

100 LB. BAGS ..

50 LB. " ..

5 LB. " ..

2 LB. " ..

1 LB. " ..

SPLENDORLAWN SHADY SPOT®

50 LB. BAGS ..

5 LB. " ..

1 LB. CARTONS ..

IMPERIAL®

Air Washed 95% Pure.

50 LB. BAGS ..

5 LB. " ..

2 LB. " ..

1 LB. CARTONS ..

PARAGON®

100 LB. BAGS ..

PASTURE MIXTURES

PERMANENT PASTURE

Packed 50 lbs. Per 100 Lbs.

PILOT BRAND

For Uplands* .. \$35.00

For Meadows .. 30.00

*Due to the present scarcity of Bluegrass this ingredient is, for the time being, omitted from Upland Pasture. The farmer may buy separately any Bluegrass he may wish added.

TRIPLE-PURPOSE PASTURE

Penn. State College Formulae

PYRAMID BRAND (F) contains alfalfa .. 40.00

PYRAMID BRAND (G) without alfalfa .. 37.00

SPECIAL PASTURE

Pyramid Brand Formulae

(A) For Good Soil, well drained .. 90.00

(B) For Poor Soil, well drained .. 42.00

(C) For Wet Soil, poorly drained .. 59.00



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The Quaker Seed Chart

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BETTER SEEDS!

THE FINEST OF THE CROP

BETTER CROPS!



"QUAKER" brand seeds are selected in the producing sections, re-cleaned in Philadelphia in the largest seed-cleaning plant in the State, by processes devised by experts to attain the highest standard of purity.

Revised 1953 to comply with most recent authoritative recommendations.

Lbs. Per Bu.	SEEDS	Lbs. Per Acre	TIME OF SEEDING	
60	Alfalfa {	drilled.....	15	} Feb.-Apr., July-Sept.
		broadcast.....	20	
		in mixtures.....	8-12	
		with Oats.....	10	
60	Alsike {	alone.....	8-10	} Feb.-May, Aug.-Oct.
		in mixtures.....	2-4	
48	Barley, Spring {	alone.....	96-120	} April-May
		nurse crop.....	72	
48	Barley, Winter.....	72-96	September	
14	Bluegrass, in pastures.....	14-20	Mar.-Apr., Aug.-Oct.	
14	Brome Grass, in mixtures.....	10-15	Mar.-May, August	
48	Buckwheat, Japanese.....	48-60	May-July	
48	Buckwheat, Tartary.....	26-34	May-August	
50	Cane {	broadcast.....	30-50	} May-June
		drilled wide rows.....	10-12	
		with Soy Beans, grain drill.....	25	
60	Clover, Crimson.....	15-20	July-August	
60	Clover, Ladino, in mixtures.....	1-2	March-May, August	
60	Clover, Medium, Mammoth {	alone.....	8-12	} Feb.-Apr., Aug.-Oct.
		in mixtures.....	6-8	
60	Clover, Sweet (hulled).....	20-25	Feb.-April, July-Sept.	
60	Clover, Wild White.....	2	(add to pasture mixture)	
55	Corn {	grain.....	8-12	} May-June
		ensilage.....	20-30	
24	Fescue, Meadow {	in mixtures.....	6-10	} Apr.-May, Aug.-Sept.
		alone.....	12-15	
14	Fescue, (except Meadow).....		Used primarily in lawns	
25	Lespedeza.....	20-30	March-April	
50	Millet, Golden.....	40-50	May-July	
48	Millet, Hungarian.....	40-50	May-July	
32	Millet, Japanese.....	25-40	May-July	
32	Oats {	alone.....	64-80	} March-May
		nurse crop.....	48	
14	Orchard Grass.....	12-15	April-May, August	
25	Permanent Pasture.....	20-30	Apr.-June, Aug.-Sept.	
60	Peas, Canada broadcast.....	90-120	February-April	
50	Rape {	broadcast.....	6-10	} April-August
		drilled.....	2	
32	Red Top {	solid, in mixtures.....	8-12	} Apr.-June, July-Oct.
		unhulled, in mixtures.....	15-25	
44	Reed Canary Grass.....	8-10	Mar.-May, Aug.-Sept.	
56	Rye {	Spring.....	50-65	} March-May
		Winter.....	70-90	
24	Ryegrass.....	20-25	September-November	
60	Soy Beans.....	90-100	Apr.-June, Aug.-Oct.	
40	Sudan Grass {	for hay.....	20-30	} May-July
		pasture.....	30-40	
		with Soy Beans.....	10-15	
24	Sunflower.....	25-35	April-June	
45	Timothy {	with grain.....	5-6	} Apr.-June, Aug.-Oct.
		in mixture.....	4-8	
60	Vetch, Spring.....	50-70	March-May	
60	Vetch, Winter {	alone.....	25-35	} August-September
		with grain.....	20	
60	Wheat, Winter.....	90-120	September-October	